

REMARKS

I. Status of Claims

Claims 1 and 3-11 are pending in the application. Claims 1 and 7 are independent. Claim 1 is amended. Claim 2 is canceled without prejudice to and/or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

II. Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1 and 3-11 are allowed.

The Office Action indicates that claim 2 is objected to as being of improper dependent form for failing to further limit the subject matter of a previous claim. Accordingly, claim 2 has been canceled and claim 1 amended to obviate any perceived ambiguity. Thus, the Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance.

III. Applicant's Statement of Substance of Examiner Interview

In compliance with M.P.E.P. 713.04, the Applicant provides this Statement of Substance of Interview concerning the telephonic interview conducted October 17, 2008 between Examiner Marquerite J. McMahon, Examiner Don Chanley and Daniel Shanley.

- (A) Exhibits. N/A.
- (B) Claims. Claims 1 and 2.
- (C) Prior art. N/A.
- (D) Amendments. N/A.
- (E) Principal arguments of Applicant. Claim 2 has subject matter that was not disclosed or inherent in the content of claim 1.
- (F) Other matters. N/A.
- (G) Results. Agreement was not reached.

IV. Conclusion

Since all formal matters having been attended to, Applicants respectfully request a Notice of Allowance.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (202) 220-4420 to discuss any matter concerning this application. The Office is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Kenyon & Kenyon's Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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